

Every **7.5** hours a victim seeks shelter from a domestic violence program, but is denied for lack of space.<sup>3</sup>

Every **63** minutes a child is abused or neglected.<sup>1</sup>

Every **13** days a child dies from abuse or neglect.<sup>1</sup>

# Moments in Virginia

Every **6** days a child aged 19 or under is murdered.<sup>2</sup>

Every **8** minutes a call is made to a domestic violence or sexual assault hotline.<sup>3</sup>

Every **53** minutes a juvenile commits a violent crime.<sup>2</sup>

Every **5** hours a child witnesses an act of domestic violence.<sup>3</sup>

In an average moment, there are **7,608** children in foster care in Virginia.<sup>1</sup>



Every **2.5** hours a child is served by a domestic violence program. Every **3** hours a new family arrives at a domestic violence shelter.<sup>3</sup>

1. Virginia Department of Social Services
2. Virginia State Police
3. VAdat: The Virginia Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Data Collection System

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